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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated June 19, 2002. Applicant requests reconsideration of this application in light of the following amendment and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the following amended claims 12, 15-16, 18-21, and 31-40 for their corresponding pending claims. Attached hereto is Appendix A, a marked-up version showing the claim amendments.

12. (Twice Amended) ~~A contoured structural member, comprising:~~

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